

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*In re* application of:

William Suttle Peters

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For: *Percutaneous Gas-Line*

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**PERCUTANEOUS GAS-LINE**

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action of December 14, 2009 in the above-identified case.

This response is being filed on or before May 14, 2010, along with an appropriate extension fee, thus making this a timely response. Applicants believe no additional fees are due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 060029.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.